



May 25, 2003

6th Sunday of Easter

Mon., May 26, 2003

Memorial Day

Acts 16:11-15 Jn 15:26-16:4a

Office Hours – Closed

10:00 am - Mass at the Piedmont Cemetery

Tues., May 27, 2003

Acts 16:22-34 Jn 16:5-11

8:00 am - Mass

Office Hours – 9:30 am - 2:30 pm

4:00 pm - Communion Service, Bob Roseland home.

Wed., May 28, 2003

Acts 17:15,22-18:1 Jn 16:12-15

9:00 - 12:00 - Food Pantry

Office Hours - 9:00 am - 12:00 noon

5:30 pm - Mass

Thurs., May 29, 2003

Acts 18:1-8 Jn 16:16-20

8:00 am - Mass

Office Hours - 9:30 am - 2:30 pm

Fri., May 30, 2003

Acts 18:9-18 Jn 16:20-23

No Mass

Office Hours - 9:30 am - 2:30 pm

Sat., May 31, 2003

Rom 12:9-16 Lk 1:39-56 (weekday reading)

Acts 1:1-11 Eph 1:17-23 Mk 16:15-20

8:00 am - 2:00 pm - OLBH Rummage Sale

9:00 - 12:00 noon - Food Pantry

9:00 - 10:30 - Share Distribution

4:00 - 4:30 - Reconciliation

5:00 p.m. Mass

Ministry Schedule:

Music: Folk Group

Euch. Min.: Body: Kathy Van Asma

Blood: Diane Clarke/Carol Conway

Greg Sass/Jean Schubauer

Lector: Doris Hume/Ken Van Asma

Servers: Sarah Cresalia

Tyler/Dana Schubauer

Usher: Charlie Cresalia/Duane Schubauer

Gift Bearers: **Please Volunteer**

Bread Baker: Irene Daschel

Sacristan: Charlie/Patty Cresalia

Sun., June 01, 2003

Acts 1:1-11 Eph 1:17-23 Mk 16:15-20

8:00 a.m. Mass

Ministry Schedule:

Music: Regena's Minstrels

Euch. Min.: Body: Brenda Jacobs

Blood: Don Konechne/Jim Konechne

Wayne/Pat Roe

Lector: Joe/Bonnie Hilt

Servers: Chris Beyer

Clint/Cody Wilson

Usher: Marc Jacobs/Tom Van Asma

Gift Bearers: **Please Volunteer**

Bread Baker: Betsy Van Asma

Sacristan: Bruce/Mary Johnson

9:00 - Rosary Prayer in Church

9:00 am - Coffee/Donuts

10:30 a.m. Mass

Ministry Schedule:

Music: Family Choir

Euch. Min.: Body: Barb Erickson

Blood: Brenda Czmowski/Gary Erickson

Jenni Osnes/Pat Schubauer

Lector: Brad/Mary Blauvelt

Servers: Tyler Corbine/Megan Czmowski

Bradley Wagoner

Usher: Scott Drabik/John Schweigerdt

Gift Bearers: **Please Volunteer**

Sacristan: Gary/Barb Erickson

Intentions:

Sat., May 24 - Repose of Milton Deisch

Sun., May 25 - 8:00 am - For Parishioners

Wed., May 21 - Healing and reconciliation for victims of sexual abuse and abusers.

Thurs., May 29 - Respect for Life at all stages.

FROM THE PASTOR'S DESK



As the Father has loved me, so I have loved you. Live on in my love. Bask in the love of God; ask how to respond. (Jn 15:9-17)

There are several places open on the parish council. If you would be interested, please call Henry Maicki at 787-4169 or Fr. Mark.

The Holy Day of Obligation for the Ascension of the Lord has been transferred to Sunday, June 1.

The business office will be closed on Monday, May 26 for the Memorial Day weekend. It will be open for business as usual on Tues., May 27.



Memorial Day Mass will be held on Monday, May 26 at 10:00 am at the Piedmont Cemetery. Please bring your lawn chairs to sit in.

Home Masses for the summer will be Wednesdays, June 11 - Aug. 13. at 6:00 pm. Please see the sign up sheet on the bulletin board in the narthex to sign up to host a mass at your house. A pot - luck dinner will follow each mass. Families and kids are welcome!

Summer Fest 03

Sunday, June 8:

Hike Redgate/Whitegate Trail to Dalton Lake. Leave at 2:00 pm from OLBH. Mass at 5:00 pm at Dalton Lake followed by a pot - luck.

Saturday, July 12:

Moonlight hike up Harney Peak. Potluck will be after the regular parish 5:00 pm liturgy. Leave at 7:00 pm from OLBH.

Thursday, July 17:

Black Hills Passion Play. Buses leave at 6:30 pm from OLBH.

Sunday, August 17:

Parish Picnic at Piedmont Park. Mass at 4:30 pm followed by a pot - luck dinner and games.

Sunday, September 7:

Bike Mickelson Trail. Leave parish at 1:00 pm. Bike from Custer to Hill City. Mass at 5:00 pm followed by a potluck at Hill City Park.

SPARKS FROM MARK:

My approach the last several weeks in my "Sparks" column has been to quote directly from the Bishop's Document "Built of Living Stones". I feel this is important so that we may all have a better understanding the Bishop's Document by reading and reflecting on it first hand. I know the Bishop's next article in the West River Catholic will deal with the topic of the Blessed Sacrament and in particular the Reservation of the Blessed Sacrament.

This week we will read the last paragraphs of "Built of Living Stones" in regards to the Blessed Sacrament in its Reservation paragraphs 77-80. "The Chapel of Reservation: The diocesan bishop may direct the parish to reserve the Blessed Sacrament in a chapel separate from the nave and sanctuary but "integrally connected with the church" and "conspicuous to the faithful." The placement and design of the chapel can foster reverence and can provide the quiet and focus needed for personal prayer, and it should provide kneelers and chairs for those who come to pray".

Some parishes have inaugurated the practice of continuous adoration of the Eucharist. If, for some good reason, perpetual exposition must take place in a parish church, the Congregation for Divine Worship and the Discipline of the Sacraments has directed that this take place in a separate chapel that is "distinct from the body of the church so as not to interfere with the normal activities of the parish or its daily liturgical celebration."

The Tabernacle in the Sanctuary: A special area can be designed within the sanctuary. Careful planning is needed so that the placement chosen does not draw the attention of the faithful away from the eucharistic celebration and its components. In addition, the placement must allow for a focus on the tabernacle for those periods of quiet prayer outside the celebration of the Eucharist.

Ordinarily, it is helpful to have a sufficient distance to separate the tabernacle and the altar. When a tabernacle is located directly behind the altar, consideration should be given to using distance, lighting, or some other architectural device that separates the tabernacle and reservation area during Mass, but that allows the tabernacle to be fully visible to the entire worship area when the eucharistic liturgy is not being celebrated.

Sources: Built of Living Stones Art, Architecture, and Worship
Guidelines of the National Conference of Catholic Bishops

Prayer Corner: Please remember in your daily prayers:

Rose Ann Cartney - improved health

Robin Stahly - peace

Trish Kostel - improved health

Paula Honerkamp - improved health

Lloyd Foight - Peace

Chris Slaymaker - quick recovery

Cliff Schlenker - improved health

Youth Formation Happenings:

Check out the website at <http://olbh.org>. Click on News and then click on newsletter.

HURRY! The deadline for registration for Vacation Bible School is June 2. You don't want to miss this Super Cool Underwater Bible Adventure (SCUBA) on June 9-13, ages 4 - 4th Grade. Cost is \$15.00 per child or \$35.00 per family.

PARISH ACTIVITIES

Baptism Prep: 1st Sunday of each Month. Call 787-5168 to make an appointment.

Thank you to all who supported our youth going to NCYC in Houston by participating in the Spring Fling and Basket Auction. The youth made \$6,500.00 towards their \$7,200.00 goal. They were overwhelmed by the support and kindness they received from OLBH parish. A good time was had by all!

Rosary After Masses: A sign up sheet will be kept in the Narthex for those who will be willing to lead the rosary after weekend Masses. The Rosary will be recited through Oct. of 2003 in celebration of the "Year of the Rosary"

Dishes Left in Basement that have not been picked up will be sold at the rummage sale. Please look to see if one of them is yours!

OLBH Annual Rummage Sale will be held on Saturday, May 31 from 8:00 - 2:00 pm. Please bring your good clean items to the church anytime and leave it in the room to the left as you enter through the basement door. Helpers of all kinds are needed. For more information, call Doris at 787-6377.

Hand made rosaries and rosary bracelets for sale

in the parish office. The bracelets are a great way for women to have a reminder to say the rosary while away on a busy day. Either 1 decade or full bead rosary bracelets look great and tells of our Catholic faith. A great gift that helps the piano fund too! Fr. Mark will bless the rosaries at no extra cost!



STEWARDSHIP May 17 - 18, 2003

General Collections:

Loose-	\$1,321.54
Envelopes -	\$3,114.00
Votive-	\$15.60
Student -	\$44.53
Building Fund-	\$1,170.00
Seminarian Fund-	\$760.00
Spring Fling Dinner/Auction-	\$100.00
Auction start up cash reimb.-	\$50.00
Donations -	<u>\$100.00</u>
	\$6,675.67

Diocesan News:

Advanced Center Prayer and Renewal for those doing Centering:

A continuation of centering prayer guidelines and further study of such items as: thoughts, distractions, unconditional love of God, and the effect on Centering Prayer. Importance of Lectio. Held at Benedict Hass, St. Martin Monastery, on Sat., May 31, 1:00 - 4:00 pm. Fee of \$10.00 is requested. Please pre-register with Sr. Marmion at 343-2688 or 343-8011.



Benedictine Camp-In for girls ages 16-25 at St. Martin Monastery on June 6-8. Please see the bulletin board in the narthex for further information.

Christian Family Planning Seminar: will be offered by the Diocesan Natural Family Planning Ministry (NFPM) on Sat., June 21 in Spearfish, SD. The seminar, a requirement for engaged couples, is also an enriching learning experience for married couples and anyone wanting to know more about NFP and the Church's teachings. For information/registration, call Family Life Ministries at 343-3541. Pre-registration is required. Deadline for registration is Friday, June 13.

Cathedral Webmaster Sought: The Cathedral is seeking a person to serve as a webmaster for the Cathedral's website. This person will be a paid employee expected to work part-time during office hours. Requirements include: experience with Macromedia Dreamweaver software, website design and maintenance, ability to create attractive graphic designs, to work with minimal supervision, and to work well and to communicate well with others. Resumes and references should be sent to Diana Streleck, 520 Cathedral Dr., Rapid City, SD. 57701.

The Good News About Sex and Marriage!

Join in this one-day workshop with Fr. Brian Christensen exploring the writings of John Paul II on human sexuality and married love. co-sponsored by the local Engaged Encounter community and Family Life Ministries, the workshop will be held on June 28th from 9:00 am - 4:00 pm at the St. Thomas More High School Commons. All are invited to attend, but particularly those working in any type of marriage/pre-marriage ministry in the diocese. For info, or to register, please call Family Life Ministries at 343-3541. Pre-registration is required - registration deadline: June 19.

Community Events:

National Cancer Survivors Day Event will be held on Sun., June 1 at Dakota Middle School from 2:00 - 4:00 pm. There will be a guest speaker, booths with information, scrapbook activities for patients, cake and refreshments along with smiles, laughter, tears of joy and hugs. All are invited to attend.



**For the Ride Home
Sixth Sunday of Easter
May 25, 2003**

Scripture

- Peter responded, "Can anyone withhold the water for baptizing these people, who have received the Holy Spirit even as we have?" (Acts 10:47)
- Sing to the LORD a new song, for he has done wondrous deeds; (Psalm 98:1a)
- In this is love: not that we have loved God, but that he loved us (1 John 4:10a)
- As the Father loves me, so I also love you. Remain in my love. (John 15:9)
- It was not you who chose me, but I who chose you (John 15:16a)

Reflection

- Do you feel loved by God?
- Did you do anything to earn this love?
- Is there anything that you can do to prevent God's love for you?
- How do you, "Remain in my Love?"

Since he is our Father, He must bear with us however deeply we offend Him, if like the prodigal son, we return to Him. He must pardon and console us in our trials; maintain us in a way that becomes Him. Who must needs be a better Father than any earthly parent. More than this, He makes brethren and co-heirs with Thee. Behold my Lord, with Thy love and Thy humility, nothing can be an obstacle to Thee. Blessed be thou for ever, Lord of mine, Who dost so love to give that naught can stay thy hand. (St. Teresa of Avila)